AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION

County of Sevier, State of Utah, ss.

I, SHERRIE OKERLUND, being first duly sworn, depose and say

I am the Legal Secretary of THE RICHFIELD REAPER, a weekly paper
having a bona fide circulation of more than 200 subscribers in
the State of Utah, published every Wednesday at Richfield, Sevier
County, Utah.

That the notice NOTICE OF TENTATIVE APPROVAL - M-041-008 a copy of which is attached hereto, was published in said paper for ONE consecutive issues, the first publication having been made in the issue of the 30 day of SEPT 1987, and the last publication in the issue of the 30 day of SEPT 1987; that the said notice was published in the regular and entire issue of every number of said paper during the period of times and publication, and that the same was published in the newspaper proper and not in a supplement.

Sherrie Gerlund

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30 day of SEPT, 1987.

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My Residence is Richfield, Sevier County, Utah.

My Commission Expires November 18, 1990.

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BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL, AS AND MINING DE RESOURCES STATE OF UTAH IN THE MATTER OF TENTATIVE APPROVAL OF THE MINING AND RECLAMATION PLAN SUBMITTED BY UNITED STATES GYPSUM COMPANY, SEVIER COUNTY, UTAH NOTICE OF TENTATIVE APPROVAL NO. M/041/008 THE STATE OF UTAH TO ALL OPERATORS, TAKERS OF PRODUCTION, MINERAL AND ROYALTY OWNERS, AND PARTICULARLY ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN SECTIONS 14, 15, 21, 22, 23, 28, 29, 32, AND 33; TOWNSHIP 2 2 SOUTH; RANGE 1 WEST; SLBM, SEVIER COUNTY, UTAH.

Notice is hereby given that tentative approval was given by the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining, on September 22, 1987, to United States Gypsum Company to continue surface mining operations in Township 22 South, Range 1 West of Sevier County, Utah.

The name of the mining operation is the Jumbo-Jensen Quarry, and the person representing the company is Mr. James Jennings, Quarry Superintendent, P.O. Box 120, Sigurd, Utah 84657.

United States Gypsum Company has fulfilled obligations under the Utah Mined Land Reclamation Act of 1975 (Section 40-8, UCA, 1853, as amended) with specific reference to Section 40-8-13 and will employ the following mining and reclamation techniques on approximately 155 acres of private land.

During Operations

Haul roads will be constructed to the deposit, and the gypsum will be quarried in 20-foot benches. Gypsum rock will be loaded on trucks and hauled seven miles to the plant for processing. Available topsoil and overburden will be stockpiled for future reclamation.

Following Operations

Reclamation of mined-out areas will be performed at a rate of approximately ten acres per year for the next ten years. Reclamation of the quarries is to consist of regrading of the waste material into the quarry area, placement of soil material, ripping with a dozer, and reseeding with native vegetative species. Haul roads which do not have a postmining use will be ripped and seeded, and water drains will be installed as necessary.

Any person or agency aggrieved by this tentative decision is hereby requested to submit written protest within thirty (30) days of the date of publication to the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining, 355 West North Temple, 3 Triad Center, Suite 350, Salt Lake City, Utah. 84180-1203, setting forth factual reasons for his or her complaint, and thereafter, at a time and place to be established, appear before the Board of Oil, Gas and Mining to show cause, if any, why this mine plan should not be approved.

DATED this 22nd day of September 1987.

DIVISION OF OIL, GAS
AND MINING
Marjorie L. Anderson
Administrative Assistant
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